

## Conference Abstract

# New Systematics & Taxonomic Collections coordinating group for New Zealand

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New Zealand's National Systematics and Taxonomic Collections Working Group (WG) represents the agencies who hold taxonomic biological collections of organisms across New Zealand, at least 22 agencies and Mātauranga Maori representatives. The group was instituted in 2017 with 8 representatives from across these institutions to :

- Enhance collaboration
- Improve shared resourcing
- Develop plans for training and infrastructure.
- Share data more effectively
- Communicate the value the work of the sector

The WG is interested in gathering feedback and views from NZ based delegates and colleagues in similar institutions working internationally.

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